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IN RE APPLICATION OF

Beatrice TOUMI, et al. : EXAMINER: YU, GINA C.

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## STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicants wish to thank Examiner Yu for the helpful telephone discussion on March 30, 2010, in which the parties discussed prior art, amendment (3/15/10) and ways to overcome the December 14, 2009, rejection.

Application Serial No. 09/533,361 Interview Summary Statement

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that this statement is a proper recordation of the substance of the interview on March 30, 2010, in compliance with MPEP § 713.04.

Respectfully submitted,

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